

United States Bankruptcy Court Northern District of Illinois, Eastern Division		Voluntary Petition					
Name of Debtor (if individual, enter Last, First, Middle): API/Lancaster, OH, Inc.		Name of Joint Debtor (Spouse) (Last, First, Middle):					
All Other Names used by the Debtor in the last 6 years (include married, maiden, and trade names): DBA Amerihost Inn Lancaster		All Other Names used by the Joint Debtor in the last 6 years (include married, maiden, and trade names):					
Last four digits of Soc. Sec. No. / Complete EIN or other Tax I.D. No. (if more than one, state all): 36-4186336		Last four digits of Soc. Sec. No. / Complete EIN or other Tax I.D. No. (if more than one, state all):					
Street Address of Debtor (No. & Street, City, State & Zip Code): 2355 S. Arlington Heights Rd., Ste. 400 Arlington Heights, IL 60005		Street Address of Joint Debtor (No. & Street, City, State & Zip Code):					
County of Residence or of the Principal Place of Business: Cook		County of Residence or of the Principal Place of Business:					
Mailing Address of Debtor (if different from street address):		Mailing Address of Joint Debtor (if different from street address):					
Location of Principal Assets of Business Debtor 1721 River Valley Circle N. (if different from street address above): Lancaster, OH 43130							
Information Regarding the Debtor (Check the Applicable Boxes)							
Venue (Check any applicable box) <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Debtor has been domiciled or has had a residence, principal place of business, or principal assets in this District for 180 days immediately preceding the date of this petition or for a longer part of such 180 days than in any other District.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> There is a bankruptcy case concerning debtor's affiliate, general partner, or partnership pending in this District.</p>							
Type of Debtor (Check all boxes that apply) <p><input type="checkbox"/> Individual(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Railroad <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Stockbroker <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Commodity Broker <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Clearing Bank</p>		Chapter or Section of Bankruptcy Code Under Which the Petition is Filed (Check one box) <p><input type="checkbox"/> Chapter 7 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Chapter 11 <input type="checkbox"/> Chapter 13 <input type="checkbox"/> Chapter 9 <input type="checkbox"/> Chapter 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Sec. 304 - Case ancillary to foreign proceeding</p>					
Nature of Debts (Check one box) <p><input type="checkbox"/> Consumer/Non-Business <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Business</p>		Filing Fee (Check one box) <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Full Filing Fee attached <input type="checkbox"/> Filing Fee to be paid in installments (Applicable to individuals only.) Must attach signed application for the court's consideration certifying that the debtor is unable to pay fee except in installments. Rule 1006(b). See Official Form No. 3.</p>					
Chapter 11 Small Business (Check all boxes that apply) <p><input type="checkbox"/> Debtor is a small business as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101 <input type="checkbox"/> Debtor is and elects to be considered a small business under 11 U.S.C. § 1121(e) (Optional)</p>							
Statistical/Administrative Information (Estimates only) <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Debtor estimates that funds will be available for distribution to unsecured creditors.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Debtor estimates that, after any exempt property is excluded and administrative expenses paid, there will be no funds available for distribution to unsecured creditors.</p>							
Estimated Number of Creditors		1-15	16-49	50-99	100-199	200-999	1000-over
Estimated Assets		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Estimated Debts		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Voluntary Petition (This page must be completed and filed in every case)		Document	Name of Debtor: API/Lancaster, OH, Inc.	Page 2 of 2 FORM B1, Page 2
Prior Bankruptcy Case Filed Within Last 6 Years (If more than one, attach additional sheet)				
Location Where Filed: - None -	Case Number:	Date Filed:		
Pending Bankruptcy Case Filed by any Spouse, Partner, or Affiliate of this Debtor (If more than one, attach additional sheet)				
Name of Debtor: Arlington Inns, Inc.	Case Number: 05-24749	Date Filed: 6/22/05		
District: N.D. Illinois	Relationship: Affiliate	Judge: Honorable A. Benjamin Goldgar		
Signatures				
<p>Signature(s) of Debtor(s) (Individual/Joint) I declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided in this petition is true and correct. [If petitioner is an individual whose debts are primarily consumer debts and has chosen to file under chapter 7] I am aware that I may proceed under chapter 7, 11, 12, or 13 of title 11, United States Code, understand the relief available under each such chapter, and choose to proceed under chapter 7. I request relief in accordance with the chapter of title 11, United States Code, specified in this petition.</p>				
<p>Exhibit A (To be completed if debtor is required to file periodic reports (e.g., forms 10K and 10Q) with the Securities and Exchange Commission pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and is requesting relief under chapter 11)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Exhibit A is attached and made a part of this petition.</p>				
<p>Exhibit B (To be completed if debtor is an individual whose debts are primarily consumer debts) I, the attorney for the petitioner named in the foregoing petition, declare that I have informed the petitioner that [he or she] may proceed under chapter 7, 11, 12, or 13 of title 11, United States Code, and have explained the relief available under each such chapter.</p>				
<p>Exhibit C Does the debtor own or have possession of any property that poses a threat of imminent and identifiable harm to public health or safety?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes, and Exhibit C is attached and made a part of this petition. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No</p>				
<p>Signature of Attorney X /s/ Catherine Steege Signature of Attorney for Debtor(s) Catherine Steege 6183529 Printed Name of Attorney for Debtor(s) JENNER & BLOCK LLP Firm Name One IBM Plaza Chicago, IL 60611 Address 312-222-9350 Fax: 312-527-0484 Telephone Number August 31, 2005 Date</p>				
<p>Signature of Non-Attorney Petition Preparer I certify that I am a bankruptcy petition preparer as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 110, that I prepared this document for compensation, and that I have provided the debtor with a copy of this document.</p>				
<p>Printed Name of Bankruptcy Petition Preparer Social Security Number (Required by 11 U.S.C. § 110(c.)) Address Names and Social Security numbers of all other individuals who prepared or assisted in preparing this document:</p>				
<p>If more than one person prepared this document, attach additional sheets conforming to the appropriate official form for each person.</p>				
<p>X /s/ Stephen K. Miller Signature of Authorized Individual Stephen K. Miller Printed Name of Authorized Individual Interim President and CEO Title of Authorized Individual August 31, 2005 Date</p>				
<p>Signature of Bankruptcy Petition Preparer Date A bankruptcy petition preparer's failure to comply with the provisions of title 11 and the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure may result in fines or imprisonment or both. 11 U.S.C. § 110; 18 U.S.C. § 156.</p>				